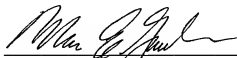


REMARKS

Claim 1 has been amended to overcome the Examiner's §112 rejection, and to overcome the '102 rejection by incorporating the subject matter of allowable claim 4. In addition, the dependency of claims 3 and 5 has been appropriately adjusted.

As now amended, it is believed that the claims are allowable. However, if there are any other unresolved issues, the examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone so that agreement can be reached regarding any additional changes required to achieve allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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